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To whom it may concern,

I won't point in my career I worked at Microsoft, for many years in fact, never getting full time employee benefits however because I as a contractor, Microsoft has recently settled a class action lawsuit regarding this. My comments come from my experiences working inside the company. Simply put, this settlement does not go far enough. Microsoft continues it's monopolistic practices while putting forth a settlement, this does not go far enough to prevent them from further impacting consumers. The only way to stop Microsoft's monopolistic behavior is to break them up, period, for you to do anything else is a complete disregard for the consumer, which the anti-trust laws are supposed to protect.

Thanks

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